

House Resolution 1209

By: Representatives Graves of the 12th and Ralston of the 7th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Miss Erin Grizzle on winning the Miss United States Pageant; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Miss Erin Grizzle, the reigning Miss Georgia United States, earned the title of
4 Miss United States on July 16, 2009, at the Miss United States Pageant in Las Vegas,
5 Nevada; and

6 WHEREAS, this achievement is the culmination of hard work and determination on the part
7 of Miss Grizzle, who deserves much credit for her energy, poise, grace, and congeniality; and

8 WHEREAS, a native of Ellijay, Georgia, Miss Grizzle represented the State of Georgia with
9 pride during her impressive showing at the 2009 Miss United States Pageant, a competition
10 which included an interview, on stage question, and swimsuit and evening gown contest; and

11 WHEREAS, Miss Grizzle holds a bachelor's degree from the University of Georgia and a
12 master's degree in business administration from the Georgia Institute of Technology; and

13 WHEREAS, currently a resident of Atlanta, Georgia, Miss Grizzle is the daughter of Jackie
14 and Susan Grizzle of Ellijay and the granddaughter of Aline Tatum of Dawsonville, Georgia;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, during her reign as Miss United States, Miss Grizzle will promote her platform
17 of *Youth Mentoring: Empowering America's Future*; and

18 WHEREAS, Miss Grizzle has served as a youth mentor for nine years and her
19 accomplishments stand as a shining example for all Georgians.

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
21 members of this body commend Miss Erin Grizzle on winning the 2009 Miss United States
22 Pageant and thank her for her many contributions to the State of Georgia.

23 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
24 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Miss Erin Grizzle.